

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

**FEDERAL NAT'L
MORTGAGE ASSOC.,
Plaintiff,**

v.

**STEPHEN A LEICHT, *et al.*,
Defendants.**

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CIVIL ACTION NO. 21-CV-2322

ORDER

AND NOW, this 9th day of July, 2021, upon consideration of Defendant Stephen A. Leicht's Motion to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* (ECF No. 1), his *pro se* Notice of Removal (ECF No. 2), and the Motion to Remand filed by Plaintiff Federal National Mortgage Association (ECF No. 4), it is **ORDERED** that:

1. Leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* is **GRANTED** pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915.
2. The Notice of Removal is **DEEMED** filed.
3. The Motion to Remand (ECF No. 4) is **GRANTED**.
4. This action is **REMANDED** to the Court of Common Pleas for Bucks County pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1447(c) for the reasons stated in the Court's Memorandum.
5. The Clerk of Court shall **CLOSE** this case.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ **Gerald Austin McHugh**

GERALD A. MCHUGH, J.